

NEW EDITION OF SAILING DIRECTIONS

Pub. 145, Sailing Directions (Enroute) Nova Scotia and the Saint Lawrence, Ninth Edition, 2003, is ready for issue. This publication has been corrected to 9 August 2003, including Notice to Mariners No. 32 of 2003.

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The 2004 Edition cancels the preceding 2003 Edition.

All corrections to the previous edition issued in Notice to Mariners are incorporated in this edition.

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